## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:		)	
		:	Examiner: James A. Fletcher
Taizou HORI, et al.		)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 2621
Application No.: 09/901,700		)	
		:	Confirmation No.: 4474
Filed: July 11, 2001		)	
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For:	VARIABLE-MODE	)	
	INFORMATION SIGNAL	:	February 12, 2007
	REPRODUCTION APPARATUS	)	
	WITH TRACKING CONTROL	:	
	(AS AMENDED)	)	

## Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT

Sir:

## Introductory Comments

In response to the final Official Action dated November 27, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: